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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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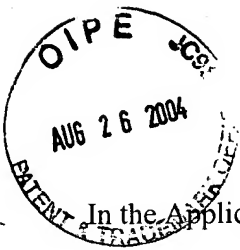
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 03-272-A)

In the Application of:

Van Zandt et al.

Serial No. 10/823,842

Filed: April 14, 2004

For: Substituted Carboxylic Acids

Examiner: TBD

Art Unit: 1614

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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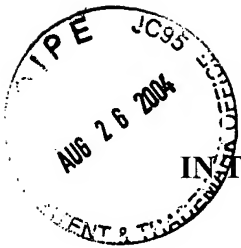
In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application (1 sheet);
 - b) Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application Dated June 18, 2004(1 sheet);
 - c) Declaration and Power of Attorney (2 sheets);
 - d) Petition for One-Month Extension of Time (1 sheet); and
 - e) Return Receipt Postcard.
2. With respect to fees:
 - a) A check in the amount of \$240.00 is enclosed.
 - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
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Dated: August 23, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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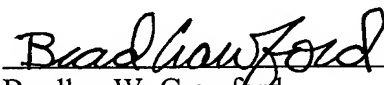
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